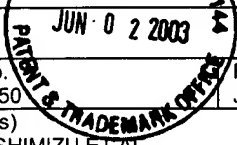


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		Serial No. 09/904,950	Filing Date July 12, 2001	Examiner T. Dinh
Inventor(s) YUICHI SHIMIZU ET AL.				
Title of Invention COMPACT ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT UNIT HAVING CIRCULATOR, MANUFACTURED WITH HIGH PRODUCTIVITY				

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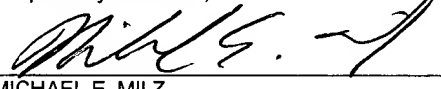
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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity		or	Other Than Small Entity	
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Indep.		Minus			x 42=			x \$84=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$140=			+\$280=	
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- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Yuichi Shimizu et al.	)	
Serial No.:	)	Examiner: T. Dinh
09/904,950	)	
Filing Date:	)	Group Art Unit No.: 2827
July 12, 2001	)	
For: Compact Electronic Circuit Unit	)	
Having Circulator, Manufactured with	)	
High Productivity	)	

## RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2003, in the above-referenced case, please reconsider the rejection in view of the remarks presented herein.